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Attorney Docket No. 07456.0009

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:

**Herbert PEIFFER et al.**

Serial No.: 09/274,781

Filed: March 24, 1999

For: TRANSPARENT POLYESTER FILM WITH HIGH OXYGEN BARRIER  
AND ADDITIONAL FUNCTIONALITY, ITS USE AND PROCESS FOR ITS  
PRODUCTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231  
Sir:

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of February 1, 2001. The items  
checked below are appropriate:

- ☒ Applicants hereby petition for a one month extension of time to respond to the  
above Office Action. The fee of \$110.00 for the Extension is enclosed.
- ☒ A check for \$110.00 to cover the above fee is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and  
charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: May 28, 2001

By: *Steven J. Scott*  
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Reg. No. 43,911